



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Shoji KAWAHITO**

Art Unit: **3662**

Application Number: **10/537,960**

Examiner: **Luke Ratcliffe**

Filed: **March 1, 2006**

Confirmation Number: **8485**

For: **DISTANCE IMAGE SENSOR**

Attorney Docket Number: **052874**

Customer Number: **38834**

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 17, 2008

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2007.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

03/18/2008 DEKMANU1 00000041 10537960

01 FC:1201

420.00 OP